

Youth Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes
Friday, January 31, 2020
5:00 p.m. at Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center Classroom

Present: Arsalan Siddiqui (Chair), Malik Gupta (Secretary), Jackson Tuthill, Selah Thom (Guest), Greg Varda (Acting Liaison), Frank Jones

Absent: Findley Holland (Vice-Chair), Alison Longworth (Liaison)

Arsalan called the meeting to order at 5:16 p.m.

Old Business

1. December minutes: December minutes were unanimously approved.
2. Awareness Campaign: YAC would like to get a list of upcoming events from the recreation departments so that there can be preparations made in advance if YAC chooses to set up a table and/or hand out flyers.
3. Crime Prevention: YAC discussed a variety of paths forward to reduce crime in Greenbelt, including:
 - a. Addressing after-school emergencies by contacting Mr. Varda or the police chief
 - b. Checking if the parkway bridge is owned by the National Park Service so Greenbelt can address the lighting issue
4. NLC March 8-11, 2020: Alison will be back in time to attend the conference and the trip will be logistically similar to how it was last year.

New Business

1. Advisory Committee Liaison Reports: There were no reports at this meeting.
2. Confirm attendance National League of City (NLC): All members in attendance confirmed their availability for the event, Findley will be contacted as soon as possible.
3. Committee Initiated Discussion: YAC discuss getting in contact with David Ross and another person within the communication department to advertise our meetings and message.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Malik Gupta (Secretary)

APPROVED by vote of 4-0 on February 24, 2020